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Floods Cause Big Damage To Roads, Property In Area

One of the victims of the floods last week was the summer home of George Metusic which was dropped into the swirling waters of Donner Creek when the bank washed from under the chalet-type structure.

Only the utility wires attached to the building prevented it from washing down the creek.

Two walls were knocked out by the water and the small amount of furniture inside was lost in the flood.

Another victim was the Jack Marquette property on Donner Lake which was damaged to the extent of at least $5,000 by the flood of Nigger Creek. A trench was finally dug across old Highway 40, thus virtually isolating residents at the west end of Donner for a while.

The basements and yard at the Assumption Church and the parish house were inundated by the flood waters from Trout Creek and Father Patrick Coffey held Christmas Masses in the Veterans Memorial Building. Furnaces were made useless and both the church and parish house remained out of heat this week.

The Truckee Public Utility District, Sierra Pacific Power Company and the telephone company crews were kept busy repairing line damage caused by the flood.

The Forest Service reported considerable damage to roads and trails. While a complete survey of the damage has not been made, sections of the Blackwood and Silver creek roads were washed out as well as at Alder creek and Sagehen creek. Trails throughout the area took a bad beating as swollen streams ripped across them in a number of locations.

Spillners Leaving For Federal Post

Game Warden and Mrs. Charles Spillner and their three youngest children plan to leave January 16 for Salt Lake City, Utah, where Spillner will be employed as game management agent for the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

Spillner, who has served as game warden in this area since 1959 and with the department of fish and game since 1956, will have headquarters in Salt Lake City but will have a wide territory and will even spend some time each year in Canada and Mexico, checking and banding migratory birds. His work with the California department ends January 15.

Charles Spillner, the couple's eldest son, will remain here to graduate with the senior class at the Tahoe Truckee High School, making his home with the Robert Roths.

Spillner has been active in local affairs and was a director of the Truckee Public Utility District until his recent resignation.

A successor will be named in about six weeks and will be selected on a seniority basis, there being several applicants for the local wardenship. The community will miss the Spillners and will extend them best wishes in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Welch have purchased the Spillner home in Gateway but the Spillners are retaining their Trout Creek property and plan frequent visits to this community.

RENO MAN INJURED IN SUMMIT MISHAP

Charles W. Ruff, 37, Reno advertising man, suffered a broken collar bone, multiple abrasions and contusions Christmas day when the car clipped from a jack as he was putting on chains near the Donner Lake interchange on Interstate 80, allowing the car to drop on him.

Ruff was taken to the Tahoe Forest Hospital and later removed to a Reno hospital where he was reported to be recovering.

BOARDS MAY REVOKE TEACHING RIGHTS

SACRAMENTO — (CNS) — Attorney General Thomas C. Lynch has ruled that the state board of education may deny, suspend or revoke teaching credentials upon conviction of certain crimes based upon a plea of nolo contere.

Defendants in criminal actions may enter the nolo contendere plea —no defense—with the consent of the court and prosecutor. The plea may not be used against the defendant as an admission of any civil suit based upon or growing out of the act upon which the prosecution is based.

Mrs. Ethel Vernon, Tahoe Poet, Dies Following Illness

Last rites were held at the St. Nicholas Episcopal Church at Tahoe City Monday at 2 p. m. for Mrs. Ethel Joslin Vernon, 74, one of Lake Tahoe's most widely known residents, who expired in her sleep Christmas eve after a prolonged illness.

Fr. Jonathan Botth officiated at the services with the Truckee Colonial Mortuary in charge of arrangements. Burial is scheduled in Trail's End cemetery at Tahoe City.

Mrs. Vernon was born at Pineville, Missouri, June 25, 1890. She went to Los Angeles with her parents at the age of eight and there attended schools. Having read of Lake Tahoe and being a devout lover of lakes surrounded by pine-clad mountains, she spent her last few dollars and came to Tahoe where she worked at Tahoe Tavern. There she met her surviving husband, Clarence William Vernon, and in 1911 the two were married at Truckee and the honeymoon was spent in a row boat around Lake Tahoe in perfect weather.

The couple returned to Riverside where they established their home, returning to Tahoe for the summers.

In the spring of 1923, Mrs. Vernon expressed her wish to return to Tahoe to make their home.

Inspired by the grandeur of the High Sierra, she began writing poems and prose and with the material written from early childhood, she had six books and several pamphlets dealing with the Sierra country. She became a member of the Poets of the Pacific and soon became editor, working from her home. She later resigned the editorship and published her own magazine, she called "Reconnaissance."

Besides her other work, Mrs. Vernon was news editor of the Tahoe Naval Ensign in 1942 and wrote columns for the Sierra Sun, the Auburn Journal, Sacramento Bee and Reno Gazette until 1961 when ill health forced her to give up

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Post Office Boxes Reported Looted

Juveniles are being questioned by sheriff's deputies after several boxes in the Truckee post office were looted and the mail scattered about the lobby.

Sergeant Roy Waters said that he was certain of the culprits and promised arrests. It was pointed out that the tampering of post office boxes is a federal offense and the federal bureau of investigation will be asked to assist in the investigation, Waters declared.

It was evident, Waters said, that the young thieves were looking for mail containing money or other valuables.

Postmaster Louise McCallen said that unless the tampering is discontinued immediately she will be forced to close the office at night and the courtesy of leaving the lobby open for the convenience of patrons will be discontinued.

CHUCK EMRICH HURT IN FREAK ACCIDENT

Charles (Chuck) Emrich, 36, well known Incline Village resident and a dog team musher of some fame, is in the Tahoe Forest Hospital with a fractured pelvis as the result of a freak accident at his home Sunday.

Emrich was assisting a fuel truck driver to free his truck from the snow when the vehicle apparently jack knifed and he was crushed under the heavy trailer hitch. Emrich's 12 year old son lifted the heavy hitch off his father and the latter rolled to safety.

The victim has abandoned plans to enter his dogs in the forthcoming races.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Arnold of Santa Rosa and Mrs. Frank Giandria of San Bruno were visitors during the holidays, with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Pace.

Many Activities In 1964 Recorded As New Year Arrives

The year 1964 was a rather tempestuous one, but saw good progress in local communities.

There were many important events recorded in selecting the ten most outstanding stories for the year, we list the following

1. The opening and dedication of the new Interstate 80 freeway over Donner Summit in November probably marked the most important development.

2. The dedication of the Truckee-Tahoe Airport climaxed years of effort and planning.

3. The opening and dedication of the new Nevada County Government Building was an important local achievement.

4. Passage of a bond issue for $1,150,000 to provide for doubling the capacity of the Tahoe Forest Hospital also marked a step in the progress of the area.

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Citations Will Be Issued To Parkers

Sergeant Roy Waters announced this week that officers have been instructed to start issuing citations to motorists who are parking vehicles along the main streets in Truckee and preventing snow removal.

At the same time, Judge Fosten Wilson said he would assess violators a minimum of $10 for overparking or disobeying posted signs.

Waters said that the two-hour daytime parking will be enforced and that signs will be installed notifying drivers that vehicles will be tagged if left on the streets overnight.

There are a dozen or more cars which have been parked on the street since before the storm, Waters said, and are now virtually buried. Owners are requested to have them removed immediately or face arrest.

KINGS BEACH CANCER DRESSING STATION WILL BE PROVIDED

KINGS BEACH—Mrs. Margaret Christiansen, chairman of the cancer dressing station committee in the Kings Beach area for Truckee Chapter No. 116, Order of the Eastern Star, has called a meeting of everyone interested to meet at the Kings Beach school January 5 at 7:30 p. m. for the purpose of organizing a local unit.

Mrs. Ellmae Philippi, in charge of the Truckee unit, will be at the meeting to outline a program, explain the methods and get the local group on its way.

After the organization and instructions, the group will meet every fourth Tuesday at the school to prepare dressings.

The project is a very worthy one and needs the support of everyone, regardless of whether they are members of the OES or not.

SCOTT GORDON WILL BE MARRIED TODAY

Scott E. Gordon will claim as his bride, Emma Wuelzek today, in St. Ambrose Catholic Church at Albany, California.

Gordon is well remembered here where he resided with his family years ago, while employed as roadmaster for the Southern Pacific Company.

Following the ceremony the newlywedded couple will travel to the northwest before returning to their home at Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hartsten, former Truckee residents, now operating a trailer court at Reno, spent Christmas with family members in Colorado, returning Wednesday to find the flood waters had done considerable damage to their property.

Registration Starts Next Monday For California Vehicles

The first avalanche of 1965 motor vehicle registration renewal notices was in the mails Saturday, December 26, adddressed to owners of all types of vehicles throughout California.

Of the ten million certificates prepared by the department of motor vehicles rapid-fire electronic data processing system, about 80 per cent have just been released to postal carrriers, with the remainder to go out today.

Tom Bright, director of motor vehicles, said processing of applications for the 1965 rear license plate renewal stickers will begin later than usual this year.

"The first official business day for DMV in 1965 will be Monday, January 4," Director Bright said. DMV formerly issued commercial registration statements on December 1. This year the truck and commercial trailer owners are being notified of registration fee requirements along with the bulk of passenger car owners.

With the start of the renewal period, owners of all types of vehicles may apply in person for their 1965 registration validations and license plate stickers at 150 permanent DMV field offices. Some 100 branch offices of licensed auto clubs and associations also serve their members with registration processing throughout the state.

All offices of the department, including Truckee, will be open on four Saturday mornings in January—the 9th, 16th, 23rd, and 30th—from 8 to noon, to accommodate applicants for registration. While the staff is providing this addded Saturday morning service, office hours after 5 p. m., offered in 43 departmental offices for driver testing purposes only, will be temporarily suspended.

Sugar Bowl To Have Busy Skiing Season

SUGAR BOWL — The winter sports competitive calendar at the Sugar Bowl will offer an extended, varied program from early January to late April, with the season being ushered in by a fall of excellent snow on Donner Summit.

January 8, 9 and 10 the Sugar Bowl Ski Club will welcome the FWSA junior point race; January 30, California-Nevada Interstate Ski Federation downhill and slalom; February 6-7, Sierra College; February 13, American River and Sacramento State Colleges; February 27-28, Oakland Ski Club championships for members only.

March 7, BAC Winter Carnival, giant slalom team (invitational); March 20, Bill Freitas Memorial; April 6, Trader Vic's Tiki Trophy race; April 11, Oakland Ski Club junior ski weekend race.

April 18, Easter race, Sugar Bowl Junior championship and DHO Walt Disney trophy race; April 24-25, Silver Belt, Sugar Bowl Ski Club.

JUNIOR POINT MEET SET AT SUGAR BOWL

SUGAR BOWL—The Far West Ski Association Point meet January 8, 9 and 10 is the first of four such meetings for the California, Nevada and Arizona junior racers and will be held at the Sugar Bowl, Manager Kieth Lummis announced.

The first race at the Sugar Bowl will consist of the slalom and downhill. The FWSA Point meeting is a race in which juniors from the ages of 12 to 18 compete for a berth on the Far West National Team. The junior nationals this year will be held at Bend, Oregon.

In conjunction with this first point meet there will be a race for juniors 11 years old and under, Lummis said.

Morey Guests—

Christmas guests at the Daven Morey home were their son, Daven from Sierra College and Miss Mildred Morey of Sacramento.

Four Are Rescued From Stalled Car In Raging Blizzard

CRYSTAL BAY—Gary Gunkel, 26, champion dog team musher and his seven Irish setters rescued three men and a girl who were trapped in their station wagon on Mount Rose during a raging storm Sunday.

The four were Roy Burrell, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Burrell of the Crystal Bay Motel and his wife, Margine, 24, both of Sunnyvale, and Sierra Junior College students, Alan Haynes of Crystal Bay and John Gillespie of Tahoe City.

The four left Crystal Bay Saturday afternoon in the four-wheel drive vehicle to "look at the

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Sanitary Board To Decide On Sewer

At the regular meeting of the board of directors of the Truckee Sanitary District on January 5 at 7:30 p. m. in the Nevada County Building, there will be present a number of experts to discuss the sewer disposal system.

These officials will include Dan Cook and John Redmond of Gillett, Harris and Duranceau, engineers for the sewage disposal project, Court Camblin of J. B. Hanauer and Company, financial consultants and John Liggett of the Lahontan Water Pollution Control Board.

The board is planning to make a major decision at this meeting concerning sewage disposal. The question: "Shall the Truckee Sanitary District proceed as the plans have been drawn or shall they wait and combine with the North Lake Tahoe systems for an overall North Tahoe-Truckee sewage disposal system"? will be answered.

The board requests that everyone interested including those at Donner Trail, Meadow Park and Donner Lake attend the meeting.

LOCAL MAN WITNESS OF RENO TRAGEDY

A Truckee man, John Firpo, KCRL-TV newsman, was among the witnesses who witnessed the tragedy of a Reno boy, Robert Osborne, 11, being swept to his death in the swirling waters of the Truckee river Christmas eve when the youth plunged into the rushing water in an attempt to save his pet dog.

Firpo said he saw the youngster being hurled about by the waves.

The boy, accompanied by his brother, Steven, 9, were crossing the Arlington avenue bridge and their dog, Mitzie, was running along with them. The dog fell off the bridge and Robert, plunged unhesitatingly into the water to save him.

He had the dog in his arms and was struggling against the current to reach shore, but the rising water swept both down the river and to their death.

DOG TEAMS TO RACE IN SIERRA COUNTY

A number of fast dog teams, including Gary Gunkel's Irish setters, will compete in the Sierra Nevada Dog Drivers' Preliminary at Sierra City on the Gold Lake road January 3.

The races start at 1 p. m. and the public is invited to view the events which will feature a 12-mile race.

Other mushers include Lee Fishback from Nevada City, Leonard Lewis of Downiville, Jack and Pat Daniels of Nevada City, Bill Mieras of Doyle, Johnny Allen of Murphys and several others.

Gene Schultz of Donner Lake with his huskies and hounds will be in contention for honors at the event.

License Issued—

Donald G. Walker, 25 and Adrienne Davis, 19 both of Tahoe City were recently issued a marriage license in Nevada.

15 Reported Hurt As Bus, Grader In Freeway Collision

Four people were treated at the Tahoe Forest Hospital and 11 others claimed injuries of minor nature as the result of a Greyhound bus and division of highways grader collision ner the Soda Springs interchange on Interstate 80 freeway Sunday at 12:30 a. m.

The California Highway Patrol reported the west bound bus, driven by Thomas Edward Love, 36, San Francisco was passing a truck and the driver apparently did not see the parked grader, operated by Ronald N. Tobiassen, 24, Grass Valley.

The bus collided with the grader, badly wrecking both vehicles. Neither of the drivers was hurt.

A relief bus picked up the passengers and the trip was continued.

Taken to the hospital for treatment were Albert Slovik, 55, Broderick, Irvin Graves, 47, Cupertino, Galen I. Gilbert, 36, Livermore, and John Argandar, 38, San Jose. None was believed seriously injured.

First Fatality On Freeway Recorded

One man was killed and four others suffered injuries in the first fatal motor vehicle accident on the new freeway over Donner Summit Saturday at 9 a. m.

The dead man was Jesus Pimentel, 30, San Francisco, who was thrown from a car driven by Pedro Lorenzana, 37, also of San Francisco when the vehicle struck a patch of slush while traveling west near the Donner Lake interchange, got out of control and plunged down the bank. Pimentel was crushed between the car and a huge rock.

Others in the car were taken to the Tahoe Forest Hospital for treatment. They were Rafael Castro, 25, Jesus Martinez, 27, and Emilio Olmendo, 23, all of San Francisco.

The body of the dead man was taken to the Truckee Colonial Mortuary. Patrolman Carroll Maynard made the investigation.

TEACHER IS INJURED IN AUTO COLLISION

Earl William Ellison, manager of Edgelake Motel at Kings Beach and teacher in the Tahoe Truckee High School, was seriously injured at 6 p. m. Sunday when his car and one driven by James Ballackey, 16, a student from San Anselmo, collided in Kings Beach.

Ballackey was cited for excessive speed for conditions of the highway.

BOYS QUESTIONED IN LIGHT DESTRUCTION

Two young boys have been taken into custody and have admitted shooting out street lights with air rifles, according to Sergeant Roy Waters of the sheriff's department.

A warning was recently issued to parents of youngsters with air rifles that they would be held responsible for the loss. Francis Longo, manager of the Truckee Public Utility District, said that during a two-week period, replacement costs for street lights destroyed exceeded $100.

TAHOE NATIVE DIES AT INGLEWOOD HOME

Dr. Frank Tahoe McClaskey, 81, a native of Tahoe City and prominent Sacramento dentist and Shriner, died Thursday in Inglewood following a long illness. Services were held in Sacramento.

Dr. McClaskey was the son of Sam McClaaskey, a lumberman in the Tahoe area many years ago.

In Las Vegas—

Mrs. Freda Maria Coffer wrote that she will be in Las Vegas, Nevada, until June, when she expects to return to Truckee.

Heavy Snow Storm Forces Closure Of Summit Highway

Developing in intensity, the current storm dropped another 17 inches of new snow in Truckee last night with 1.20 inches of precipitation to bring the storm total to 17.83 inches and the seasonal record to 24.54 inches, the U. S. Forest Service reported.

There were approximately 53 inches of snow on the ground here this morning and more than 100 inches on Donner.

Interstate 80 was closed to all but emergency vehicles since Wedensday afternoon, but the division of highways hoped to have the road open this afternoon providing the break in the storm continues.

The sun came out about 8 a.m. this morning briefly at least.

Continued storm was forecast by the weather bureau.

Between the rain and snow during the past two weeks this region has had its full share of weather.

The U. S. Forest Service reported that for the storm the Truckee station recorded a total of 16.68 inches of precipitation, approximately 13 inches being rain and 3.68 inches in the 48 inches of snow which fell since Sunday.

There were 35 inches of snow on the ground yesterday at the station after it had settled.

The total precipitation for the season which began September 1 was 23.34 inches, compared to a normal for the same period of 11.79

LAKE UP TWO FEET

TAHOE CITY—A rise in the Lake Tahoe level during the past week was approximately two feet, the level on December 29 being 6226.64. On the same date, 50 cubic feet per second were leaving the lake, with precipitation from the storm to December 29 being recorded at 22.57. This included 14.77 inches noted by December 23 in the heavy rain storm.

The high temperature for the week was also on the 23rd, 47 degrees. The low on Tuesday was 16 degrees, according to the office of Daryl DeWalt at Tahoe City.

inches, or double the average for the season.

Following the warm rainy period, during which temperatures ranged up to 47 degrees, the weather chilled and has dropped to a maximum of 28 and a minimum of 12 during the early part of this week.

On Donner, more than six feet of new snow had fallen in some areas bringing the total depth to more than 100 inches, assuring excellent skiing at all resorts.

The storm closed Interstate 80 over the summit Tuesday at 11:30 a. m. when visibility dropped to zero and stalled cars by the score blocked the lanes in both directions to prevent state crews from operating snow removal equipment. Both lanes were reopened at 9 p. m. Tuesday night and traffic yesterday was flowing normally although skid chains were required from Reno to Colfax.

State Route 89 was closed south of Tahoe for a time yesterday morning but was reopened by state equipment before noon.

The wind-lashed snow kept state and county road crews as well as utility facilities and crews working night and day to keep ahead of the drifting snow which threatened at times to win the battle.

Dams Prevent Big Loss Of Property

Bureau of reclamation dams prevented nearly $100 million in damages, as well as countless hours of suffering, in California and Nevada by controlling more than one million acre feet of runoff that surged into the bureau controlled streams during last week's storm.

A corps of engineers damage estimate curve indicates that Boca and Prosser creek dams, which control the flow into the Truckee river, saved the Reno area between $5 and $10 million in destruction.

The peak flow of the Truckee river through Reno shortly before noon on December 23 was 12,000 cfs. Relatively minor damage was done as the river barely spilled its banks. But at that same time, Boca and Prosser creek dams were holding back runoff of another 14,000 cubic feet per second.

Home for Holiday—

Sam Medford and Nickey Stone, who are attending school at Logan, Utah, were home for Christmas and returned to Utah Tuesday.

Ancient Auto Was Named Brockway

The colorful history of automobiles in America began at the turn of the century. Since that time, well over 5,000 different makes have been manufactured in the United States, according to the California State Automobile Association.

One car, the Brockway, was built in 1912. There was also a Brockway truck which was built in the same year.

There were also several famous cars which had the same names as California cities. These included the Auburn, Maxwell, Oakland, and Winton.

Most of these cars, like the Brockway, have long since disappeared from the scene. At present, there are only three cars still in production whose names correspond to California cities. They are the Lincoln, Imperial, and the Plymouth.

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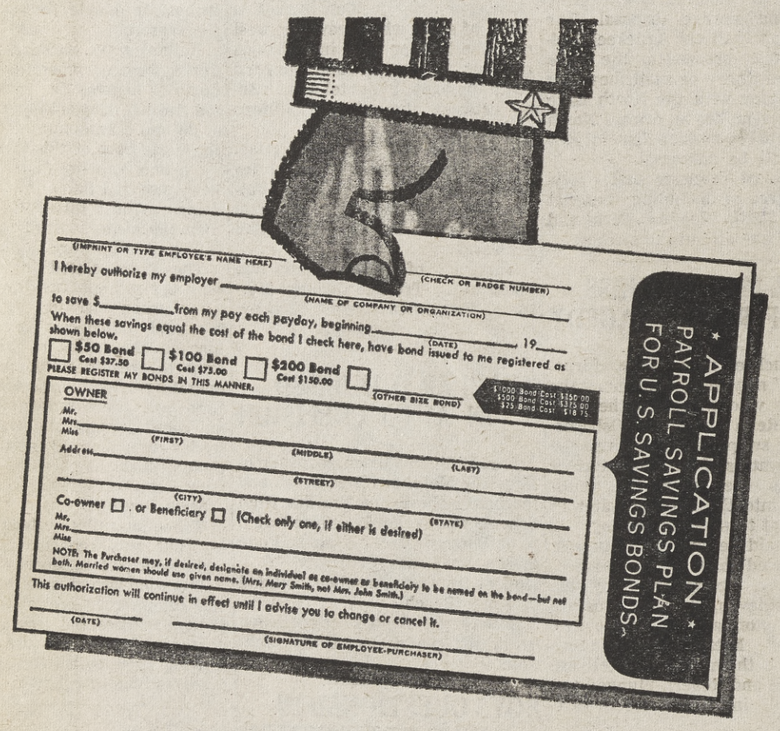
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SIERRA SKIING

By VI WHITE

One hundred students from Chico State College recently stayed at Hill Top Lodge near Truckee from Friday night until Tuesday. They were given ski lessons by members of the ski team on the slopes of Papoose Ski Area in Squaw Valley.

Most of the group experienced their first snow trip and were so eager to learn that they braved the wet conditions anyway.

Coach Garth Dunning kept everyone busy watching movies, doing folk dancing and singing each evening after dinner.

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My husband "Kit" Carson White made some sort of a record recently. As winter sports editor for the San Francisco Examiner and president of the United States Ski Writers Association, he decided to find out how many ski areas he could visit in one day . . . fifteen!

Flying up by private plane from Oakland he landed at the Truckee Airport about 8:30 a. m. and with a photographer drove to Hill Top Lodge, over the new freeway to Play Vada, Soda Springs, Sugar Bowl and Donner Ski Ranch. Doubling back, stopped at Boreal Ridge a new area to be developed next year off new Interstate 80, then to Squa Valley, Alpine Meadows, Powder Bowl, Granlibakken, Tahoe Bowl, Homewood, then over to Mt. Rose Ski Bowl and Slide Mt. in Nevada. Then they drove on down to South Tahoe to Heavenly Valley and would have gone to Sierra Ski Ranch and Echo Summit on Hiway 50, but the sun was going down fast, so on back to Alpine Meadows, and arrived in Oakland in time to write his story before deadline.

The feature story appeared in the Sunday Examiner, December 20 and proved that we have the best ski complex in the world right here.

Ski resorts should be operating full time during New Year holiday.

Season's Greetings.

Let it snow, let it snow, let it snow! And it is! After a rainy wet Christmas we're sure going to have a snowy white New Year's. Perfect weather for those gay glugg parties.

In spite of the wind and poor visability, skiers pack the slopes and are enjoying terrific powder snow.

Most of the higher lifts had to cease operation because of gusty winds, but in the protected areas skiing is great.

Students are really enjoying themselves with the fresh snow, ice skating and nightly dancing at some resorts.

A variety of ski outfits were seen at Squaw Valley Sunday even a bear skin coat and one poor fellow kept indoors because of a shaven head, burr.

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Former Truckee school teacher, Jim Licklider has joined the Joe Marilliac Ski School at Squaw Valley. He and his wife live in Sacramento where he is studying for his masters degree, so he'll just be instructing weekends and vacations.

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University of Utah students, Sam Medford and Nick Stone were back in Truckee for the holidays. Both are members of the Cross Country Ski team and will compete in Colorado next weekend in the first college meet of the season there. They were surprised to meet Bob Forster of Soda Spring while skiing in Utah one day, Bob attends Brigham Young University.

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Locally, the first Far West Ski Association races of the year will be held soon. January 9-10 the Junior Point races, Downhill and Slalom for Classes I-V are scheduled at Sugar Bowl and Squaw Valley will have their Birthday Slalom January 10 for all senior classes.

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A very Happy New Year to all and good skiing.

BILL BERRY WILL BE HONORED AT DINNER

On December 30, veteran Sierra Ski writer Bill Berry will be honored for his many years of actively reporting the sport of skiing.

To honor the Sacramento Bee ski writer, that day has been proclaimed "Bill Berry Day" and it will be the windup of the Reno Falcon Racing Training Camp which is being held December 26 through December 30.

Berry's friends are urged to attend the testimonial dinner which will be held for him that evening at the Rosemont Lodge near Reno.

Gala Party Will Be Featured At Club New Years Eve

CRYSTAL BAY—A superb buffet dinner, party favors, noisemakers and dancing to the music of Russ Morgan and his "Music in the Morgan Manner" are among the festivities planned for a gala New Year's Eve celebration in the Topaz Room of North Lake Tahoe's Nevada Lodge.

Sharing the Topaz Room spotlight New Year's Eve with Russ Morgan will be the Morganaires—the famed singing group composed of members of the Morgan band.

Also on hand for entertainment will be the Art and Dotty Todd group—repeating a successful October engagement at North Tahoe's fun-center Nevada Lodge. One of the best known vocal and instrumental teams in radio and television Art and Dotty Todd are renowned for their recording of "Chanson D'Amour", which sold two million copies. The talented couple have appeared on several occasions on the Ed Sullivan Show, the Perry Como Show, Steve Allen Show and with Arthur Godfrey.

No reservations are necessary for the gala New Year's Eve festivities at North Lake Tahoe's largest year-round resort-hotel-casino. The complete cost of the dinner, dancing and show is $6.60 including tax.

Promotion Planned For Travel Over 80

RENO—A $105,000 Donner freeway advertising campaign in Central California "from Chico to the mountains" is contemplated by the Reno Chamber of Commerce.

Lee Frankovich, member of a committee to raise funds for the concentrated newspaper-radio-billboard campaign, said in a luncheon at the Sparks Nugget with area beverage dealers recently that it is hoped the project can get under way early in January.

But, he said, the budget for the campaign to alert "every resident in the central California area" to the fact that it is no longer necessary to drive the twisting road of the Donner escarpment has been set at $105,000, and the help of every type of business in Reno and Sparks is necessary to raise the amount.

The meeting with the beverage dealers to tell the story of Interstate 80 over the Sierra is one of a series planned with various business organizations in Reno-Sparks by members of the Reno chamber.

"Telling the story" includes an explanation of the budget, the amount of funds each type of business is expected to contribute toward the promotional campaign, and showing of a series of color slides, which graphically explains how the advertising campaign will be carried out in the California media.

B. E. Lowe, chairman of the chamber committee, emphasized the need for a concentrated campaign, prepared by Reno advertising agencies.

He said a "drive of drives" was needed to tell the people "over the hill" that the fourlane route over Donner is now completed and that the "ride to Reno" is now quick and comfortable.

The "Tillamook Burn", a huge scar in the Coast Range Mountains of western Oregon, was caused by a series of forest fires between 1933 and 1945 that destroyed more than 10 billion board feet of timber.

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Aliens Are Required To Register In Jan.

C. W. Fullilove, district director of the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service, stated that the period within which aliens must report their addresses is at hand.

All non-citiens, except those in diplomatic status, foreign representatives of certain international organiations and those admitted temporarily as agricultural laborers, are required to file the address report.

Any alien who willfully violates the address report requirement may be subject to serious penalities.

Aliens who are not in the United States during January must report their addresses to the service within 10 days after their return.

Fullilove said address report cards will be available at the Immigration and Naturalization Service office at 630 Sansome Street, San Francisco, and local United States post offices beginning January 1, 1965.

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Bible study will be held Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. in the Dave Grill residence, Tahoe City and at Ted Knoff's home at the same time in Truckee.
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MORE MEAT WILL BE PROVIDED SCHOOLS

The department of agriculture has advised Congressman Harold T. (Bizz) Johnson of the 2nd, mountain-valley counties, district, that it has purchased an additional 9,085,590 pounds of frozen and canned beef for distribution to schools and needy families.

The recent purchase included 2,163,000 pounds of choice grade frozen ground beef and boneless roasts for distribution to schools, and 6,922,590 pounds of canned beef of cutter grade or higher for distribution to needy families.

Frozen beef awards are due for delivery during the period December 21 through January 16. Canned beef awards are due from December 28 through January 23, 1965.

Total beef purchases since buying began March 2 amounted to 373,260,510 pounds at a cost of $207,400,000.

NIGHT DRIVING

The motor vehicle death rate at night is sharply higher than during the day, reports the California State Automobile Association.

TRACKS REPAIRED AS ENGINE IS DERAILED

The westbound Southern Pacific Company tracks were repaired Sunday after an engine unit of an express mail train derailed in the Sierra.

The accident happened in drifting snow 11 miles west of Truckee Sunday morning. The diesel was one of four units pulling the train. There were no injuries.

The U. S. Coast Guard maintains long range aids to navigation stations throughout the world, providing trans-oceanic ships and aircraft with navigational checkpoints.

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NEVADA CITY—The applicant from El Centro was chosen over two others as director of Nevada County welfare at Tuesday's Board of Supervisors meeting.

The directors went into executive session during the morning to interview Oran E. Bollinger, Phillip Linnebach from Bakersfield and Robert J. Grimshaw of Chico. Bollinger was the unanimous choice of the board and will start work January 15 at a monthly salary of $676.

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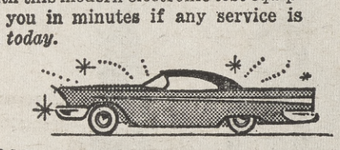

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County Shares In Funds For Highway

A total of $12,708,312 in state and federal funds has been apportioned to California counties for the construction of county roads included in the federal aid secondary (FAS) system it was announced by the state department of public works.

The allocation is for the 1965-1966 fiscal year. It includes $8,600,873 in federal monies and $4,107,439 in state matching funds.

Nevada County's share for 1965-66 amounts to $102,896, of which $61,408 is federal money and $41,489 from the state highway budget.

The allocation for Placer County is $223,807, of which $133,568 is FAS funds and $90,239 is state matching funds.

Federal funds for county roads and state matching monies are made available to the counties according to state law.

Federal funds are apportioned by the department to counties according to a formula used by the federal government in distributing FAS funds to the 50 states. Three factors of equal weight—area, rural population, and the mileage of certain classes of mail routes—determine the amount provided for each county.

State monies are used by counties in lieu of local funds in matching federal cash on a 60-40 basis with the federal government providing the major portion.

According to state law, $100,000 is the maximum state allocation of funds to any one county within a fiscal year. The $100,000 ceiling will this year permit 33 of 57 eligible counties to match the entire federal allocation with funds provided by the state, with the exception of small amounts required from county funds to finance contingencies and engineering.

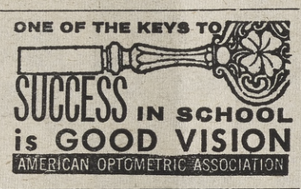
Under state law, the City and County of San Francisco is not eligible for FAS funds.

County roads on which FAS funds may be spent are those which have been designated by the county (with the approval of the state department of public works and the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads) as constituting that county's FAS system.

These roads usually are next in importance to state highways in terms of traffic volume and economic service to the area and are often called "feeder roads" or "farm to market roads."

The largest FAS allocation for 1965-66 will go to San Bernardino County—$642,301 in federal and $100,000 in state funds. Alpine, Amador and Sierra counties will receive the least—$43,005 in federal and $29,055 in state funds each.

The U. S. Coast Guard maintains ships and shore installations overseas as well an in the United States



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FARM LABOR SHOWS DROP IN CALIFORNIA

SACRAMENTO — (CNS) — The state department of employment reported farm employment in California for the week ending December 5 totaled 269,200, a drop of 21,800 from a month ago but about 1200 higher than a year ago.

The department report showed that, during the off-season, there were 13,500 contracts foreign workers employed on California farms, the same number as a year ago. The bracero program, under which Mexican farm workers are imported into the state, is due to expire on December 31 and some interests says the need for the foreign workers will decline during the coming years. Others say the need will increase, at least through 1969.

The farm employment during the week ending December 5 included 90,100 farmers and unpaid family, down 100 from a year ago; 90,100 hired regular, also down 100 from a year ago; 75,500 hired temporary domestics, up 3400 from a year ago, and the 13,500 foreign contract workers.

FIRST COUNTY RAISES IN LIEU TAX ON CARS

SACRAMENTO — (CNS) — Motorists in San Mateo County will feel the bite of a new law which permits an extra "in lieu" tax on motor vehicles, to be used for rapid transit purposes.

Under the new law approved in 1963, which increased the gasoline tax from 6 to 7 cents a gallon, counties were permitted to increase the in lieu tax on motor vehicles from 2 to 2.5 per cent, provided the new funds would go for rapid transit.

During the 1963-64 tax year, no counties availed themselves of the higher tax. However, the state department of motor vehicles said vehicle registration renewal notices for San Mateo County will include charges for the higher tax. The tax is paid in lieu of property taxes on motor vehicles.

JACKIE JENSEN WILL NOT PLAY BASEBALL

Jackie Jensen, who with Alex Stewart and Reynolds Johnson, ownes and operates the Ponderosa Golf Club near Truckee, and a resident of Crystal Bay, told reporters in Sacramento last week that he has no intention of returning to baseball. Since his retirement in 1960, there have been numerous rumors that the 37 year old former major league outfielder would again play baseball.

When not working at his Oakland restaurant, at the local golf course or acting as public relations man for a Lake Tahoe night club, Jensen relaxes at his home with his family.

THOMAS RICHARDS HEADS F.G. GROUP

Thomes H. Richards, Jr., of Sacramento was elected president of the California Fish and Game Commission at the December 4 meeting in Los Angeles. He has been vice president this year. William P. Elser of San Diego was elected vice president.

Richards, who served as president in 1959, has been an avid hunter and fisherman from the time he could hold a fishing rod or a gun in his hand. He states he is raising his son in the same manner, and has taken him hunting and fishing since he was six.

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Phew! It's over! The mad Christmas rush is over. After the rush of last minute wrapping and food preparation, the rush of putting dinner on the table, I just relaxed and almost fell asleep at the table. Slept until 9 a. m. Saturday morning.

We had the joy this year of sharing our Christmas with one of our community's senior citizens. Sidney Prather of Kings Beach spent a very pleasant day with us, enjoying the Christmas spirit through the children. Also Bernie Kingery joined us for dinner and the evening. He is from Alpine Meadows.

My mother, Mrs. Lottie Evans, from Riverside, California, arrived Thursday with plans for a return trip on Sunday—if the weather permits.

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Speaking of weather—or should we? It has certainly ruined many a happy holiday season this year. The families in northern California and Oregon who have been flooded out have really had their share of this. It seems that this isn't the first Christmas they have been driven from their homes. Thank God it hasn't happened in this area.

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Bob and Bernie Janson have entertained his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Janson, from El Sobrante this week.

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The Bill Reynolds family of Agate Bay have gone to a family Christmas in Fairfield.

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Rev. William and Noreen Marx have really had a house full this Christmas. His parents are up from Covina, his brother Ken (a student at San Francisco State), and his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stokes and nephews Ralph, Charles and Bill Harrison from San Bruno—and three dogs. What a joyful celebration with such a house full.

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Peg and Jim Mandeville went to Los Angeles, by way of Berkeley, to pick up Aunt Claire McClure, to visit with daughter Margy and Al Eberhart, grandson Matthew Todd and son Phillip. They will spend a few days in Berkeley on their way home and will not be back until after the First. They are going to treat themselves to a crowd's eye view of the New Year's Day Rose Parade in Pasadena. This is their first. I've seen 12 of them, each one more beautiful than before.

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The Earl Nelsons entertained the Gordon Gitlers and the Carl Brooks Christmas Day.

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Hal and Nancy Rutledge, with children Mark, Kristen and Brad, will be journeying to Carmel Wednesday in order to join in the annual New Year family reunion. That is a very pleasant and fun way to spend New Years.

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The Mark Lohrs had a very quiet Christmas; just Mark, Doris and their children. She has closed her baby sitting business until after the First for a much needed rest.

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Bob and Diane Clark welcomed his mother and her husband Ruth Spencer Day; also his aunt, Mrs. Stephen Ivanoff, Mr. Ivanoff and son, Steve, from Columbus,Ohio. Diane said she fared pretty well after having prepared dinner for 16. The Red Waddells also joined them.

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Mrs. George Gleed will be visiting relatives in Pocatello, Idaho, for several days after Christmas.

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Bill and Jackie Westlund held an open house on Saturday, December 19. Some of those present were the Grays, the Fred Bakers, the Don Barkhursts, the Ken Oelrichs, the Bill Reynolds and Angelo Russo.

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Last Thursday, the 24th, the Richard Killian family of Winding Way, Incline Village, had a little excitement, The motor on the washing machine shorted out and caught fire. The Crystal Bay fire department responded and contained the blaze, holding damage down to the machine itself.

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Alice and Dwight Kent had family up from Santa Rosa. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Faris and daughter, Rosan, arrived Christmas day. They are enjoying the snow. It is the first time they have seen snow falling.

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Louise and J. D. Anderson are entertaining daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ern Thompson of Hayward. Their two daughters, Sidney and Susan, have had a good vacation from school with their grandparents. Susan goes to UC, Davis, but is working at Moseley's during the holidays.

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Next week the Dan Andersons and the E. E. Thompsons are going to San Francisco for the Shriners' East-West football game.

MOTORISTS WARNED AGAINST CAR THEFTS

"Don't help someone steal your car"! is the battle cry of a statewide campaign aimed at halting the alarming rise in automobile thefts.

The crusade is sponsored by the National Automobile Club in cooperation with the California Highway Patrol and the National Automobile Theft Bureau.

Thousands of flyers urging motorists to lock their cars and take their keys and credit cards with them will be distributed to Californians and NAC service garages throughout the state.

The "lock your car" drive was prompted by a theft bureau report which showed that more cars were stolen in the nation during October—42,773—than in any previous month in history. The loss was estimated at $39 million.

Auto thefts for the first nine months of 1964 totaled 260,782, compared to 249,368 for the same period in 1963, an increase of 11,504.

There was one bright note in this bleak picture, according to the Theft Bureau: 1964 thefts represent an increase of 4.6 per cent over 1963, compared to an average 11 per cent increase for prior years.

Although the automobile theft rate continues to mount nationwide, San Francisco has seen a decline in its rate for five consecutive months. Police Chief Thomas J. Cahill attributed the decrease to a "lock your car" campaign conducted last spring by the police department.

"We hope that the flyer will be helpful in reducing auto thefts in other California communities," stated Bert Stewart, NAC general manager.

MRS. JOHNSON WILL LEAVE POSTAL JOB

ROSEVILLE — Mrs. Harold T. Johnson announced she will leave the position of assistant postmaster in the Roseville postoffice on December 28th.

Mrs. Johnson, the wife of Congressman Johnson of the second, mountain-valley, district, has worked 35 years for the postoffice.

She said she will leave the post to spend more time with her family and the congressman when he is in Washington.

Name For Summit Is Still Providing Discussion Topic

Once again the question has arisen regarding a name for the summit where the new Interstate Freeway 80 crosses the Sierra.

It does not seem to matter what official title is given, as veteran travelers and residents of the various communities nearby will continue to call it the New Donner Summit.

Willard Warren of Marysville, district highway engineer, said that the California Highway Commission or perhaps the legislature, will have to decide on a name.

Many names have been suggested including Stevens' Pass, Hastings Summit, Jackass Pass, Fortune Wheel Pass, Jackhammer Pass and Lewis and Salvador Pass. All these have been suggested, but regardless of what name is finally chosen —if one ever is—it will continue to be New Donner Summit.

The Truckee Donner Chamber of Commerce spent time at many meetings threshing over suggested names to be submitted but without a definite result. Other nearby cities and organizations also devoted time to the subject and none was decided upon.

So, whether the commission or legislature or both decide on a name it is a safe bet that Donner Summit will remain Donner Summit.

STATE WRITES MANY CHECKS DURING YEAR

The State of California writes a lot of checks during a year of state government operations, and Treasurer Bert A. Betts has the figures to prove it.

Betts reported today that the accounting division of his state treasurer's office in the capitol has redeemed more than 5 million checks—the state calls them "warrants" officially—during the past year.

Both the number of warrant redemptions, 5,060,000 for the 12 months ended November 30, and the total amount of the warrants, over $17.5 billion, are new annual records.

HAROLD WEAVER IS GIVEN NEW CONTRACT

Harold Weaver, veteran president and superintendent of the Sierra Junior College district, was given a new four-year contract and the "compliments of the board" of trustees last week for his "fine administration and leadership." The new contract was awarded unanimously.

The 58 year old Weaver has been a top administrator at the college for 19 years and president for the past eight. He has seen enrollment soar from less than 300 to the present 2200 in day and evening classes, as well as the establishment of a modern new campus and an "area" junior college composed of Placer and Nevada counties and parts of Sacramento and El Dorado counties.

Weaver today announced that he planned to retire at the end of his new contract in 1969. He began teaching in 1933 in Weaverville. Holding degrees from the Colorado School of Mines and Stanford, Weaver "projects the image of the college in the local district" because of his efforts on behalf of the college, trustees noted.

The superintendent's salary will be $19,500 from a previous $17,900. The salary is comparable with that paid in similar districts in Northern California, though one board member indicated the salary reflected the board's high opinion of Weave, more "than the job."

MOTORISTS ASKED TO WATCH FOR CHILDREN

Motorists are urged by the California State Automobile Association to be alert for playing youngsters during the week following Christmas.

The sidewalks and streets will be crowded with children playing with their new Christmas toys, said AAA. Such toys might include bicycles, skates, wagons, miniature automobiles and other mobile gadgets.

The CSAA said alertness is especially called for when motorists are driving through residential sections where children may be coasting down inclined streets.

Parents were urged to instruct youngsters with such gifts to stay out of the street and wherever possible to play in recreational areas or on the sidewalk.

A child playing with a new Christmas toy has little time to watch out for passing cars. He is much too fascinated with his play, the motor club said. It is the responsibility of the motorist to be alert for the youngster.

The California State Automobile Association said the danger is greatest during the week between Christmas and New Year's day.

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DONNER DOINGS

By Marcella Corro
Telephone 587-3338

The joy of Christmas is past, and most of us could hardly take time to relax for the day and enjoy the opening of gifts and the excitement of the children, eager to see what Santa had brought.

Many disappointed tourists and guests who planned to enjoy a white Christmas were unable to get through. The local residents planning the holidays with families and friends elsewhere never left their homes.

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Walt and Eve Jellin were to enjoy Christmas in Seattle, and attend the wedding of their son, Larry. Unfortunately, a fire in one of their apartments prevented them from leaving. However, the wedding has been postponed, so we hope they can attend in the future.

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Harry and Billie Weiler and boys enjoyed the holiday in Roseville with Billie's mother and family.

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Carson and Vi had the White family up, which was to be their first Christmas in the snow. Among the guests were Mother White, his brother Franklin, sister Dorothy Domroski, Alleta Hay and families, also his nephew Jim from Oregon. Jim is quarterback for the Willamette College team.

Paul and Alice Strobel held open house for many local friends, her sister, Mrs. Ralph Parle and family, grandmother Munroe and friends from Palo Alto.

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Tom and Jerri Bonano planned Christmas in warm and sunny Palm Springs. I hear they are still fighting the water and silt at Donlac.

Indeed, "this was the week that was"! As the waters are receding, everyone is busy pumping out basements, filling in washouts and just cleaning up the mess. How discouraging to see cottages floating down stream, the debris on Donner Lake which once were a line of piers for summer enjoyment. Now, only a few poles stand alone, covered with icicles from the slapping waves. Boats were tossed off piers, onto the rocks as though only toys. Our mighty pine trees toppled in raging waters, that once stood majestic in our forest Many of the roads washed out, others passable for one car. Residents on the west end of Donner Lake were cut off from the area when a portion of the hiway was removed to let the raging waters in Nigger creek flow into the lake.

Perhaps if we can get better drainage systems in the area, we won't have this future destruction of himes and property.

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The Donner Lake Lodge is planning a New Year's Eve party for all local residents and businesses. Invitations are available to those who wish to attend. They will be given to the Resorts for the guests. A free buffet will be served and dancing until. If any local musicians wish to donate their talents for the evening you may contact Ann Nisbet at the Lodge.

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Can you imagine anyone out in a boat these days? Charlie White and Dick Case rescued a floating dock that broke loose from the beach.

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MARCH of DIMES GIRL of the GOLDEN WEST
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ONCE IT WAS FEARED SHE WOULD NEVER WALK BECAUSE OF HER PARALYZING BIRTH DEFECT OF OPEN SPINE. BUT NOW MICKEY SCURRIES ABOUT WITH CRUTCHES AND LEG BRACES...THANKS TO EARLY SURGERY AND PHYSICAL THERAPY EXERCISES SUCH AS PLAYING KICKBALL.
THE HEINICKES, WHO HAVE TWO OTHER NORMAL CHILDREN, ARE A HAPPY, CLOSE-KNIT FAMILY. MRS. HEINICKE, A REGISTERED NURSE, SAYS, "WE'VE NEVER SHOVED MICKEY OFF IN A CORNER. SHE DOES EVERYTHING THE REST OF US DO."
FIGHT BIRTH DEFECTS Join THE MARCH OF DIMES

AFFAIRS OF STATE

by Henry C. MacArthur

SACRAMENTO — (CNS) — The University of California's action in dropping journalism as an undergraduate major as of June, 1966, is characterized by the magazine "Editor and Publisher" as "an affront to every journalist in the country, whether he be engaged in electronic or printed journalism, or whether he be a journalism school graduate or not."

Professional journalism does right when it protests this action. Sigma Delta Chi, nation-wide journalistic society, has entered a protest and so has the California Newspaper Publishers Association.

The obligation of a university to the citizens which furnish its support, is to educate in all fields of endeavor, and at least, give some basic instruction in those fields which affect the lives of all the taxpayers.

Journalism is no exception. The people of the commonwealth are dependent on communications for their information, and for guidance in their thinking on the current problems of the day.

Thus, it becomes the obligation of the state-supported university to offer instruction which will produce journalists in all methods of communication, who are qaulified to report facts.

There was a day in journalism when the graduate of a school specializing in that subject was considered as knowing nothing about the business. After graduating, he was required to start at the bottom and work his way up the same as the neophyte who never saw the inside of a journalistic school.

The years, however, have proven the new way of educated journalists work out better in the long run. The young men and women who have had schooling are the people who get first choice when it comes to hiring in the field of communications.

Decision of the university to abandon journalism as a major thus is a move to set back the aims and ideals of the business a couple of generations.

University officials say they do not feel journalism qualifies either as letters or science. Further, they characterized the journalism program as "neither professional enough nor liberal enough."

The latter observation could be the crux of the decision. Liberal professors at the University of California, who sanction violations of law and order as in the instance of the student "sit-down" on the campus, have little use for journalism in its objective meaning.

These professors seek to control the minds of the public. When they find journalism cannot be taught this way, their "out" is to abolish it as a professional field. It is not "liberal" enough to comply with the thinking of the men who advocate anarchy on the part of the students who in turn are supported by taxpayers.

Some outstanding schools of journalism during recent years have contributed much to making reporters out of raw material, and editors out of men who aspired to relating facts to the public. Among these should be mentioned the University of Missouri, and Stanford University, as well as Columbia University in New York.

But the University of California, one of the largest in the nation, apparently doesn't want the public to have educated journalists.

FUNDS ARE PROVIDED FOR NEW FREEWAY

SACRAMENTO — The California Highway Commission today allocated $1,266,296 in additional funds for the construction of the first unit of the Grass Valley-Nevada City (Route 20) freeway in and near Nevada City.

State Highway Engineer J. C. Womack told the commission that this additional financing was needed to issue a contract work order based on the lowest of seven bids received on December 9.

The low bid was $4,966,199, submitted by Norman I. Fadel, Inc., of Marysville.

The 3.3 mile, four-lane freeway project extends from Brunswick road, southwest of the city, to three-quarter mile east of the city limit.

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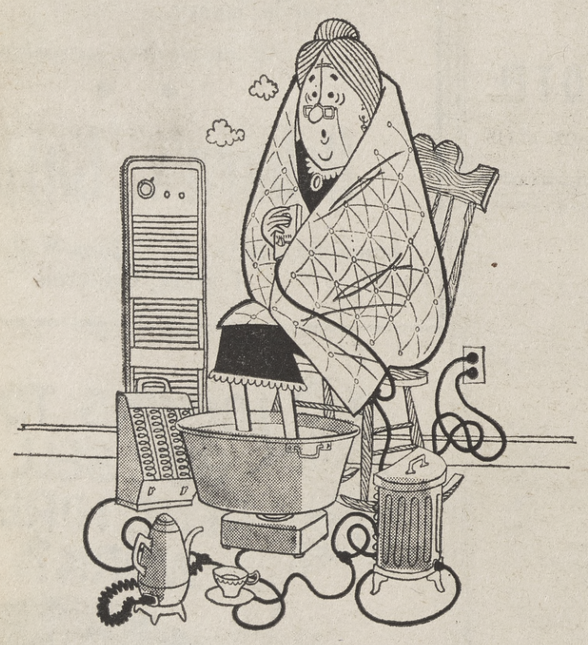

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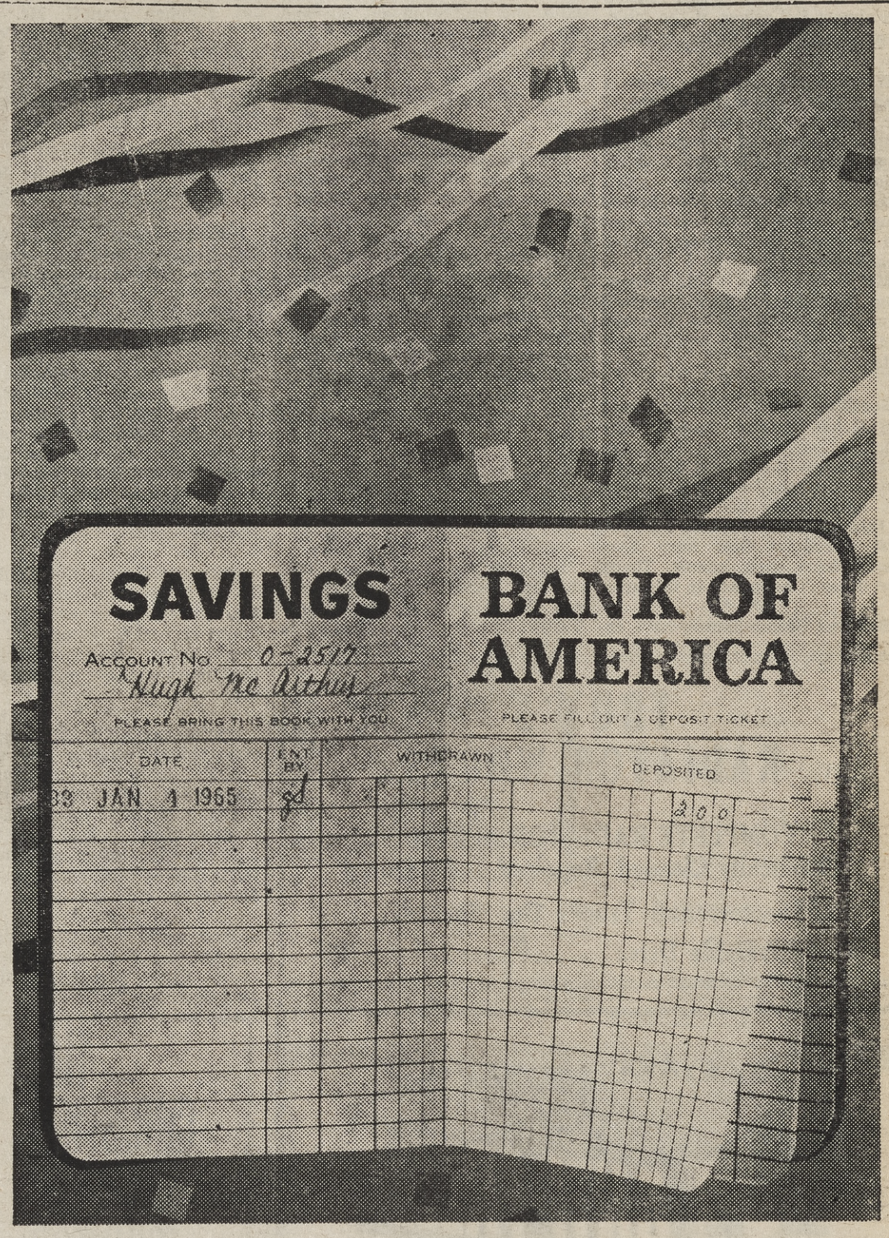

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Tahoe Chamber In Air Service Project

TAHOE CITY—The North Lake Tahoe Chamber of Commerce, in a strongly worded resolution, has called upon the California legislature to enact legislation "that will encourage air service to those smaller communities" in the state.

At their December 16 meeting, the chamber directors noted that "our community has invested over half-a-million dollars in airport facilities that will handle airline type equipment." The area is now ready and anxious to realize benefits from this investment on a regular, sustained basis.

Specially, the chamber noted its vital interest in securing scheduled airline service in this eastern Sierra area. The directors in their resolution to the legislature charged:

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West Shore Notes

By MRS. ELLEN ATTARDI
Telephone JU 3-3917
Tahoe City

M. F. (Bud) Jones family of Panorama Estates are Christmas vacationing in Western snow resorts (Aspen, Sun Valley). They joined daughter, Vicki, who is in training at Vail, with the other junior racers from all over the United States in the camp sponsored by the United States Ski Association. The Jones are accompanied on their trip by Dr. Rich Tierney of the Highlands.

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Members of the First Baptist Church in Tahoe City enjoyed a Christmas program held at the Tahoe City Community Center last Wednesday evening. Presiding over the program was the Reverend Richard Anderson.

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A Christmas birthday was celebrated in the Peter Topol home when daughter Sidney observed her first birthday.

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Their annual Christmas party observed by Safeway Employees at a ShinDig held at the shopping center last Wednesday evening.

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An open house was hosted by Larry and Rosemary Lindsey of Comstock Acres and Hemet. A large group of friends thoroughly enjoyed the evening.

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The John Otto family of Sacramento holidayed at their Tahoe City home.

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The Bill Bechdolt family of Tahoe City held a big celebration on Christmas Day in their home at Tahoe City when the youngest member, Mary Christine, observed her birthday.

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A patient at Washoe hospital is Jo-Jo Carnell, young son of Dick and Maizie Carnell. Jo-Jo went by ambulance on Christmas Eve.

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Parents of their first child are Mr. and Mrs. David Jackson of Tahoe City who will celebrate December 23rd as the birthdate of their son, born in Auburn.

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Happy Holidays to Mrs. Alice Gebhardt in Daly City from Tahoe City!

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The Max Hoffs of the Chamberlains celebrate a New Years Eve wedding anniversary.

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The E. G. Kitchen of San Jose holidayed with friends in Tahoe City.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clare Collins of southern California vacationed with the Dave McBrides in Tahoe City.

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A December 29th birthday was celebrated by Teria Carnell.

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Daisy and Ed Plummer of Palo Alto and daughter, Cheryl, are "snowbound" at their Meeks Bay home.

BUSY SEASON AT SKI RANCH

DONNER SKI RANCH—A New Years eve celebration with a torch light parade at 10 p. m., a midnight buffet with hats, noise makers and fun for all are planned at Donner Ski Ranch December 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Norm Sayler, managers of the Ski Ranch also announce that there will be night skiing at the resort Wednesday, Friday and Saturday nights from 7 to 9:30 p. m.

They have arranged mid-week ski trips from Sacramento starting January 13 for 10 consecutive weeks with charter buses which will feature fun on the trip as well as the enjoyment to be provided at the resort.

The first races planned will be on January 3 when the Peninsula Ski Club vs the Viking Ski Club will compete in their annual Hangover fun race, a giant slalom.

On January 8, 9 and 10, an intercollegiate meeting sponsored by Sierra Junior College will be held.

Special groups to be entertained by the Ski Ranch include the Puritan Girls Club of Sacramento January 9 and 10; Metropolitan Horsemen's Association of Sacramento January 16 and 17; Acalanes High School Ski Club of Lafayette January 28 to 31; Compolindo S. C. of Orinda, February 6 and 7; Senior Girl Scouts of Palo Alto, February 20 and 21; Acalanes S. C. of Lafayette, February 27 and 28 and March 19 to 21.

Safety Rule Pointed Out By Auto Club

Look All Ways Before Crossing is a fundamental safety rule for all pedestrians, reminds the California State Automobile Association. When crossing a street it is important to look not only to the right and left but also ahead and behind because of the danger of turning cars at corners.

The pedestrian must not only watch the traffic but also the signals that permit or restrict his actions, warns the CSAA. He should not, however, place the total responsibility for his safety on mechanical devices.

When crossing one-way streets, pedestrians are urged to adopt the rule of looking first and last in the direction from which traffic is approaching.

Safety posters illustrating the theme Look All Ways Before Crossing are being distributed to schools throughout the community. The local safety program is sponsored by the California State Automobile Association as part of the nationwide campaign by the American Automobile Association and its affiliated clubs.

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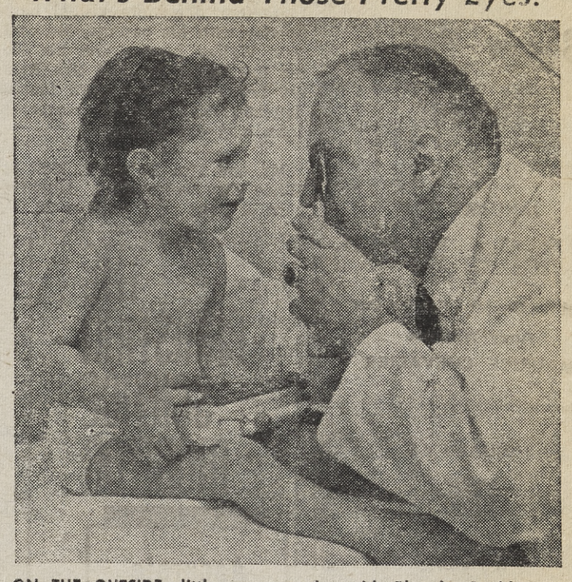

ON THE OUTSIDE, little seems amiss with Rhonda Caulder, 4, Laurel Hill, N. C., though her left thumb was missing at birth. But the attractive child has invisible birth defects including heart and kidney disease. At March of Dimes Birth Defects Center, University of North Carolina School of Medicine, Dr. Loren G. MacKinney, center director, looks into interior of Rhonda's eye for blood vessel changes. Each year in U.S., 250,000 infants are born with serious defects. Many are worse off than Rhonda. Help them through the March of Dimes.

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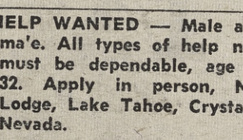

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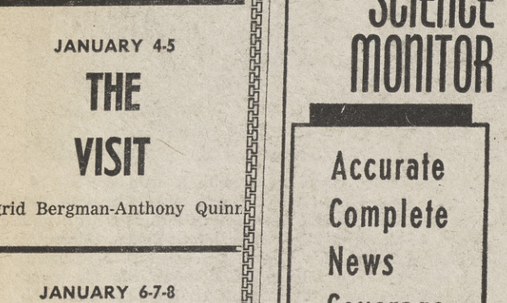

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Barretts Here—

Douglas Barrett and three of their four daughters visited here Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barrett and his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leamon. The couple's fourth daughter, Kathryne, is recovering from a recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Moll of Tahoe City welcomed a daughter born at Reno on December 22.

Busy Schedule For O.E.S. Is Planned

Truckee Chapter No. 116, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold stated meetings only once a month, on the second Tuesday of each month, beginning January 12th. The meetings will be held in the Masonic Temple in Truckee at 8 p. m., and will be followed by a social hour and refreshments.

Dorothy and John Corbin, worthy matron and worthy patron, and their 1965 corps of officers invite all members to join them in their ritualistic work and fun this coming year. The new officers have been busy practicing the ritualistic and degree work and receiving instructions from Louise Anderson, deputy grand matron of the 13th District, and secretary of the Truckee Chapter. The initiatory degrees will be conferred on a class of nine candidates at the January meeting.

One of the most important projects of the Order of Eastern Star in California for the past several years, and especially important in 1965, is the establishment and maintenance of cancer dressing stations. These dressing stations consist of groups of Eastern Star women and their friends, neighbors and acquaintances who meet together several times a month to roll bandages and fold and sew dressings for needy cancer victims throughout the state.

The local dressings are then forwarded to one of the larger centers where they are sterilized and distributed to fill the needs of patients whose doctors, hospitals, or families request help. Some of the dressings have been returned to patients in this area. Many more requests are received at the distribution center than can be filled—so the need is great—and all women who can spend a few hours at one of the stations are requested to contact either Mrs. Dorothy Corbin, Kings Beach, or Mrs. Elmay Philippi, Truckee.

Mrs. Philippi, a past matron of Truckee Chapter who served Grand Chapter as a deputy grand matron in 1959, holds an apointment from the state chairman of California as cancer dressing stations representative for a number of northern California counties. Truckee Chapter and the state chairman, appointed by Grand Chapter, are both proud of the six active cancer dressing stations which Mrs. Philippi has established and is responsible for in the Truckee, Susanville and Sierra Valley areas.

She is presently engaged in establishing a seventh station at Kings Beach, under the leadership of Mrs. Margaret Christensen and Mrs. Gladys Thorwaldsen, who are anxious to have the help and cooperation of all women in the North Lake Tahoe and Incline areas.

Mrs. Vernon
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outside work.

In her last book of poetry, she wrote:

"My tired feet climb a familiar trail."

The book entitled "The Valley of the Stars" was dedicated "To My Husband" and is on a religious theme, mentioning reincarnation and the words of Alpha and Omega.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Vernon is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Florence Mortag and Mrs. Lillian Farr, both of Tahoe City.

DECEMBER DATES

Carolyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs Zeph Rose was a late December birth date celebrant, honored by her family. Her uncle, Dave Rose, also enjoyed his natal date recently.

Mrs. Andrew Creglow was the center of attention on her December 27 birth date, when friends and family extended congratulations.

Attend Services—

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Gilson attended funeral services for his mother in southern California. Friends here extend sympathy to the bereaved family.

Visits With Daughter—

Mrs. Lillian Pettit of Escandido spent Christmas here with her son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Schultz at Donner Lake, returning home Monday.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF CAMELLIA

The holidays are here again.

We used to celebrate Christmas Day, birthdays and anniversaries together.

But now in my loneliness today only stands a lighted candle and a prayer.

You are gone but not forgotten. Masses are being said.

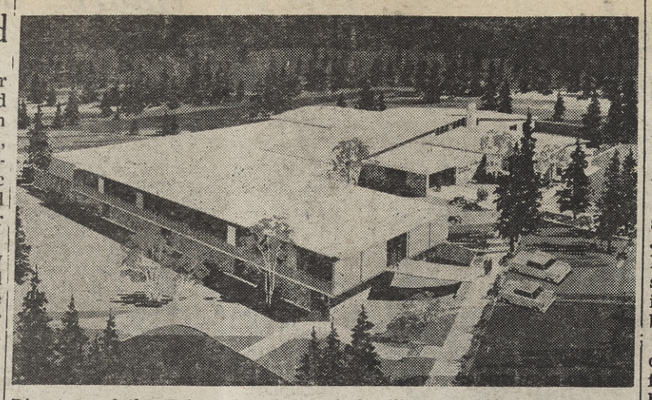
MARY KOHLER

CARDS OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our most sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors who so willingly came to our assistance when the flood threatened our home last week. And to all we extend a hearty wish for a very happy and prosperous New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Marquette

How Hospital Expansion Will Look



Directors of the Tahoe Forest Hospital will meet early in February to finalize plans for the expansion and alteration of the plant. The above is the architect's design of the building when completed.

Four Rescued
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snow." They had no food and only light clothing and after-ski boots.

When Gunkel and his team came upon the car it was bogged down in deep drifts just a quarter of a mile southwest of the Mount Rose summit. The musher sent one of the men on his snoshoes down the road half a mile to a sheep herder's cabin and attempted to haul the other three out on the dog sled, but the setters were unable to pull the load in the heavy snow.

One of the men was sent to the cabin but got lost in the blizzard only to be again rescued by the intrepid Gunkel. He finally carried the young woman to the cabin, built a fire and then set out for assistance.

He met a rotary plow and a station wagon and advised them of the location of the missing snow watchers, then with his dogs, Duff, Barry, Sam, Mac, Spook, Riley and Copper, went for a well deserved rest.

Gary with his setters won the Tahoe Sierra championship last spring and is a strong contender for the event in the coming spring.

A Truckee man, William Waters, truck operator for the Sierra Pacific Power Company, played an important part in the rescue of the four people stranded in their station wagon on Mount Rose Sunday.

Waters, although on vacation at the time, was advised of the snow-bound quartet and being adept at handling the company's sno-cat, volunteered to go to their rescue in the blinding blizzard.

The call for aid came from Deputy Sheriff Tom Dolley of the Incline sheriff's department through Frank Giovannoni, district superintendent.

The only contact made with the stranded people, came through the radio on the sno-cat, which was a welcomed sight for nearly frozen people.

Sunday Date—

Kittie Sarkos celebrated her birthdate last Sunday, feted by her family.

CUPID SCORES HEAVY IN STATE DURING '64

SACRAMENTO — (CNS) — Cupid scored with better than a two-to-one average during 1964.

The state department of public health estimated there were 128,000 marriages performed in California during 1964, up about 8,000 from 1963, and a rate of 7 per 1,000 persons.

Also during the year, there were nearly 59,000 final decrees of divorce and annulment, a rate of 3.2 per 1,000 population.

The department said that, although the marriage rate was up slightly—the rate of 7 per 1,000 persons was up from 6.9 in 1963 and 6.7 in 1961—the birth rate continued downward. During 1964, there were an estimated 383,000 births, up about 3,000 from 1963.

The birth rate for 1964 is estimated at 21 per 1,000 population, as compared with 21.5 in 1963.

"The birth rate has thus continued on a downward trend which began in the last months of 1961, and which reflects a national trend", the department said.

With 153,000 deaths during 1964, the death rate of 8.4 per 1,000 was the same as in 1963, the department said.

Dorothea Frey Will Wed Garry Bennett

Miss Dorothea Elaine Frey and Garry Ray Bennett revealed plans for their wedding on June 20, during a recent family gathering.

The bride to be is the daughter of Mrs. Muriel Frey and the late Lawrence Frey. She is a graduate of the Tahoe Truckee High School where she was active in student government and school organizations and is a life member of the California Scholarship Federation.

Miss Frey graduated from Chico State College with an A. B. degree and is presently teaching at Irvington High School in Fremont.

Bennett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bennett of Crane, Missouri, and is a graduate of the high school in that city. He is now employed at the General Motors assembly plant in Fremont.

Activities
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portant and far reaching events of the year was the decision of the Truckee Donner Chamber of Commerce to proceed with a plan to bring the question of incorporation of the Truckee-Donner area to a vote.

6. The election was also a major story during the year, with Bizz Johnson, Paul Lunardi and Henry Loehr being returned to their respective jobs and Gene Chappie being chosen as the district's assemblyman.

7. The sale and demolition of the old Tahoe Tavern to pave the way for further development of the Tahoe City community ranked high among the year's events.

8. The fire which destroyed the pioneer Southern Pacific (Olympic) Hotel in Truckee was a sensational occurence.

9. Jimmy Heuga's accomplishment at the Winter Olympic games in Japan where he won a medal for the U. S. was the biggest local sports story.

10. Recent storms which caused considerable damage throughout the region was still another outstanding story.

We could continue with stories of fatal car wrecks, drownings, fires and deaths, and there are many other events recorded in the Sierra Sun for the year which had more than passing interest and for many far more important than those listed.

Kay Clauser Will Wed Charles Nixon

TAHOE CITY — During the Christmas holidays Mrs. Peggy Clauser announced the engagement of her daughter, Kay Lynne to Charles Franklin Nixon.

Both young people are students at the University of Nevada. Kay is a prominent music major in her sophomore year while her fiance is a junior studying pre-law.

Nixon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nixon of Reno, Nevada, and a graduate from Tombstone, Arizona.

Miss Clauser was an honor graduate from Tahoe Truckee High School and was awarded the Soroptimist Scholarship at that time.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Christmas Guests—

Ernie Siri and Jack Pistoia of Truckee and Vasco and Henry Pistoia of San Francisco enjoyed Christmas at the home of Mrs. Mary Kohler in Reno.

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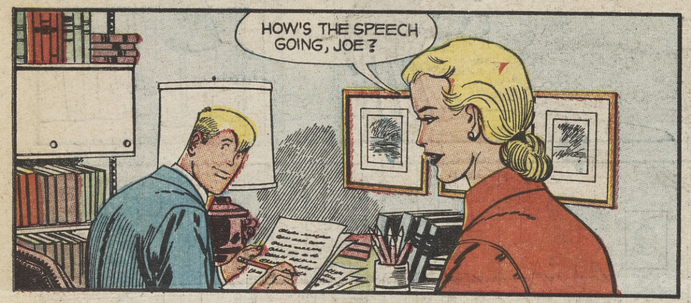
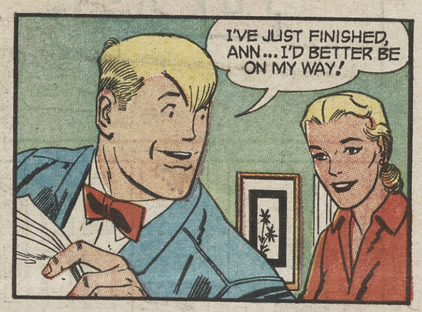
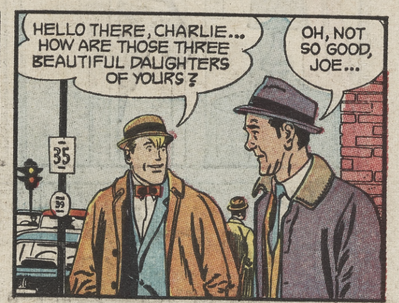
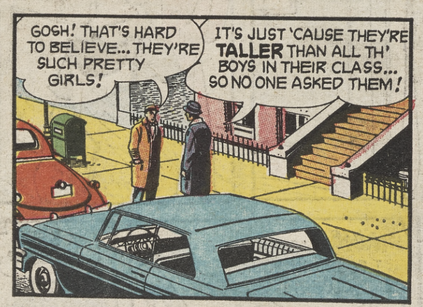
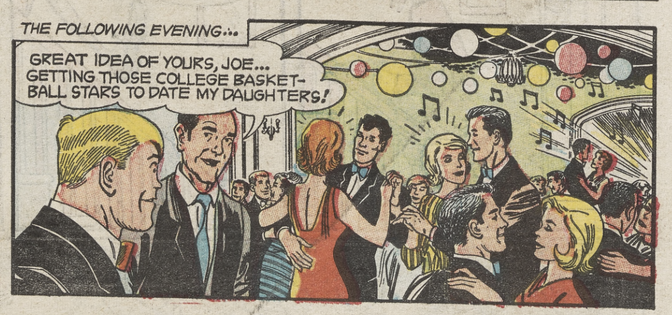







GOSH! THAT'S HARD TO BELIEVE... THEY'RE SUCH PRETTY GIRLS!
IT'S JUST 'CAUSE THEY'RE TALLER THAN ALL TH' BOYS IN THEIR CLASS... SO NO ONE ASKED THEM!



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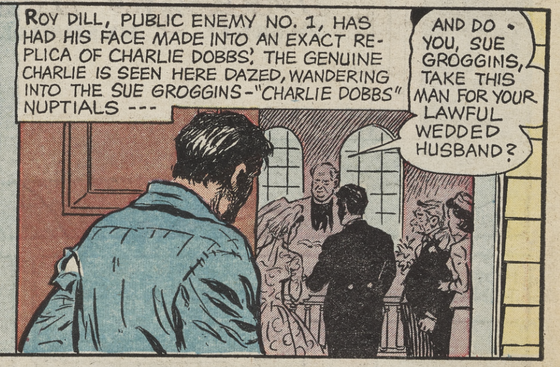
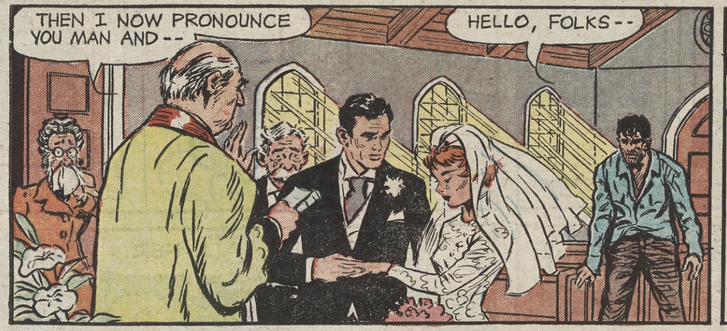
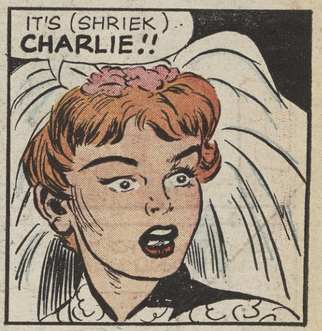
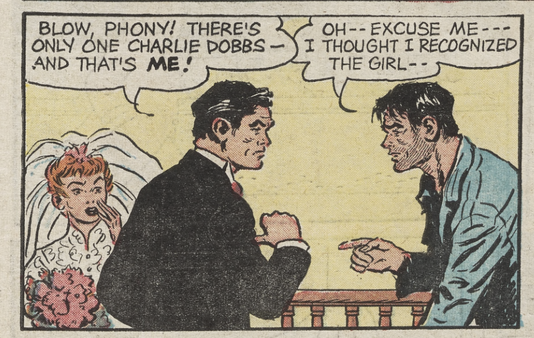
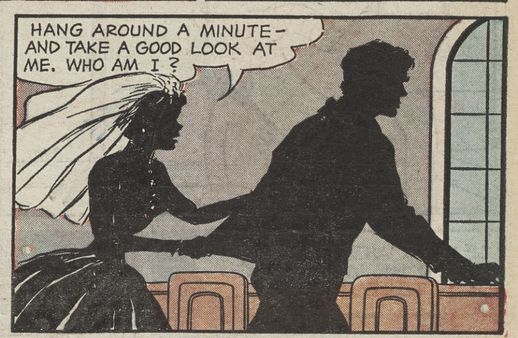
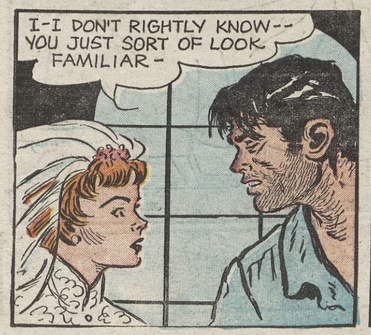

ROY DILL, PUBLIC ENEMY NO. 1, HAS HAD HIS FACE MADE INTO AN EXACT REPLICA OF CHARLIE DOBBS', THE GENUINE CHARLIE IS SEEN HERE DAZED, WANDERING INTO THE SUE GROGGINS-"CHARLIE DOBBS" NUPTIALS ---
AND DO • YOU, SUE GROGGINS, TAKE THIS MAN FOR YOUR LAWFUL WEDDED HUSBAND?

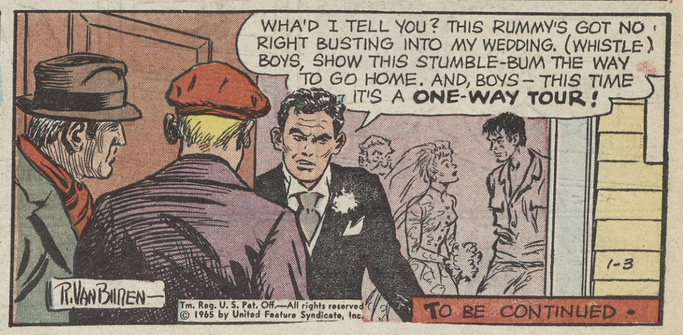











WHA'D I TELL YOU? THIS RUMMY'S GOT NO RIGHT BUSTING INTO MY WEDDING. (WHISTLE) BOYS, SHOW THIS STUMBLE-BUM THE WAY TO GO HOME. AND, BOYS— THIS TIME IT'S A ONE-WAY TOUR!
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R. VAN BUREN

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Fritzi Ritz

By ERNIE BUSHMILLER

R-RING

HOW ABOUT A DATE TONIGHT, FRITZI?

I HAVE A DATE, PHIL--- I'M LEAVING IN A FEW MINUTES

I DON'T BELIEVE HER---SHE ALWAYS SAYS THAT WHEN I CALL AT THE LAST MINUTE

I'M GOING TO WALK BY HER HOUSE AND SEE IF SHE'S REALLY GONE

I GUESS SHE IS---ALL HER LIGHTS ARE OUT

IF SHE WERE HOME SHE'D BE WATCHING TELEVISION

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JAN.-3-

Emmy Lou

by MARTY LINKS

KNIT-O-KRAFT

BLOUSES ON SALE

HI, MOM

WHAT'S NEW?

D'JA GO DOWN SHOPPING TODAY, MMM?

MOM! LOOKIT WHAT I FOUND IN YOUR CLOSET!

A NEW BLOUSE?

CAN I BORROW IT FOR TONIGHT, MOM?

SIGH

I PROMISE I WON'T GET IT SOILED!

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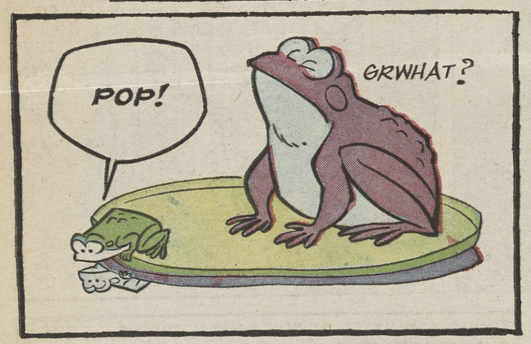
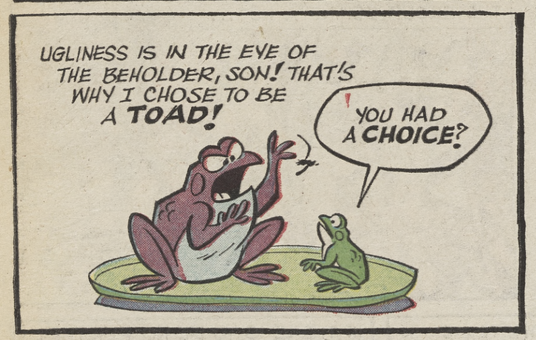
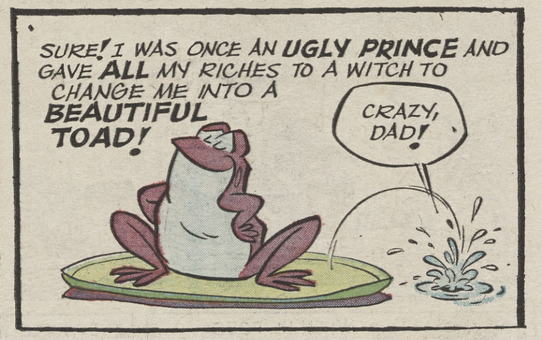
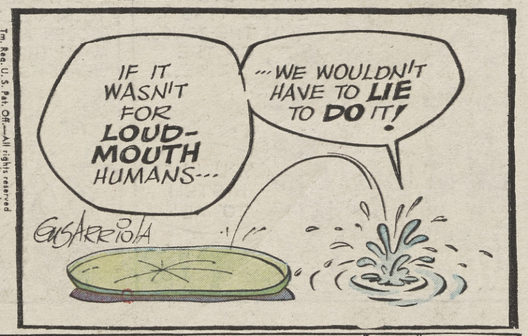
GORDO®

BY I. TOADUSO









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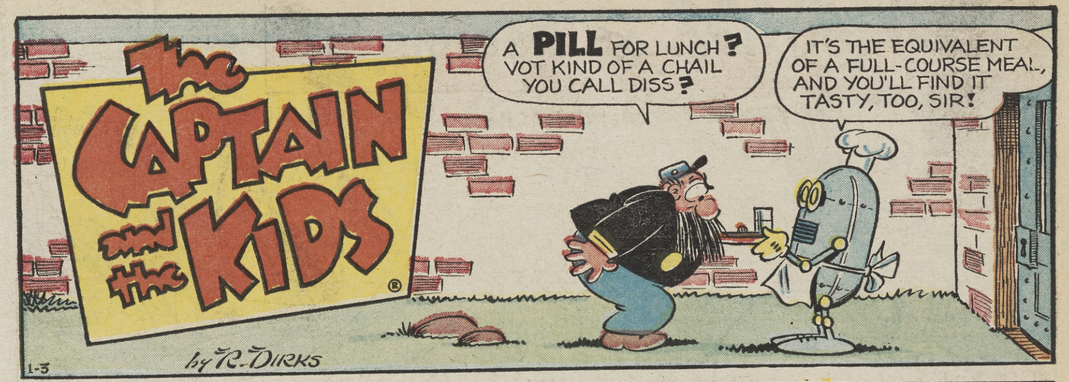
The CAPTAIN AND THE KIDS®


A PILL FOR LUNCH? VOT KIND OF A CHAIL YOU CALL DISS?
IT'S THE EQUIVALENT OF A FULL-COURSE MEAL, AND YOU'LL FIND IT TASTY, TOO, SIR!
by R. DIRKS
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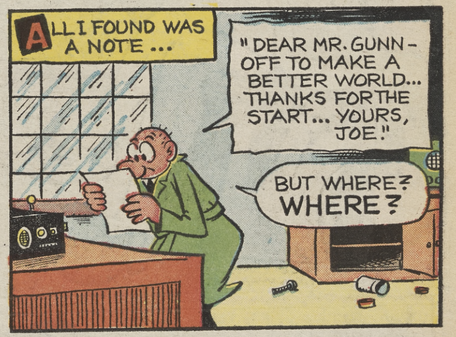
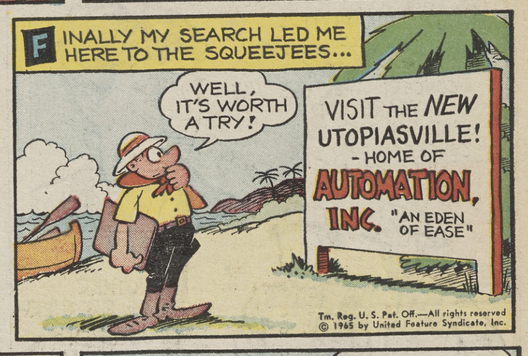
WHILE THE CAPTAIN SWEATS OUT HIS CAPTIVITY IN THE AUTOMATION PLANT, B.B. GUNN WRAPS UP HIS TALE OF THE ROBOTS' REVOLT.




FINALLY MY SEARCH LED ME HERE TO THE SQUEEJEES...
WELL, IT'S WORTH A TRY!
VISIT THE NEW UTOPIASVILLE! - HOME OF AUTOMATION, INC. "AN EDEN OF EASE"

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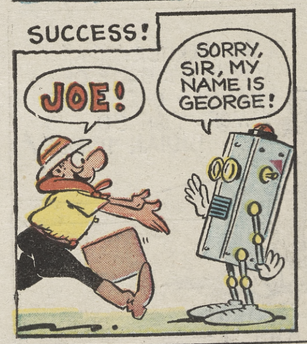

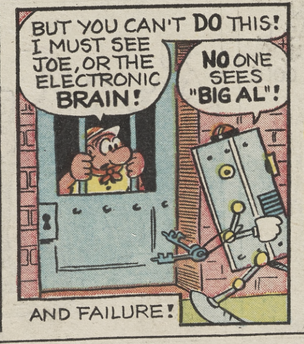

STRANGE as it seems — ELSIE by HIX

OVER 400 YEARS AGO CHARLES V of Spain FORBADE THE CONSTRUCTION OF A PANAMA CANAL UNDER PENALTY OF DEATH-- BECAUSE HE THOUGHT IT WOULD BE BLASPHEMOUS TO JOIN TOGETHER TWO OCEANS THAT GOD HAD PUT ASUNDER! -1529-

JAMES A. GARFIELD, U.S. President, OFTEN AMUSED FRIENDS BY WRITING GREEK WITH ONE HAND WHILE WRITING LATIN WITH THE OTHER!

GIANT WALKING STICK INSECTS IN THE EAST INDIES GROW TO BE 16 INCHES LONG!

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ADELINA PATTI-- operatic soprano, GAVE HER FIRST CONCERT WHEN SHE WAS 7 YEARS OLD AND HER FAREWELL CONCERT WHEN SHE WAS 63!

BROTHER VS. BROTHER-- GEORGE B. CRITTENDEN AND THOMAS L. CRITTENDEN, BOTH LIEUT. COLS. IN THE MEXICAN WAR, WERE BOTH MAJOR GENERALS IN THE CIVIL WAR-- ON OPPOSITE SIDES!

THE CINCHONA TREE of South America, FROM WHOSE BARK IS MADE THE DRUG QUININE-- IS NAMED AFTER THE COUNTESS CHINCHON, WHO WAS CURED OF MALARIA FEVER IN 1638!

IN THE TERRITORY THAT NOW IS THE STATE OF KANSAS ONCE LIVED MORE THAN 30 INDIAN TRIBES!

EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS' Tarzan®

IF THOSE NATIVES ARE GOING TO APPROACH THE EVIL MEN IN THAT HUT- THEY'LL BE COMMITTING SUICIDE!

I'M GOING INTO THE VILLAGE ON FOOT, JOBO! MAYBE THE STORM WILL MUFFLE MY MOVEMENT!

TARZAN GESTURES WILDLY, BUT SILENTLY, TO THE BEWILDERED ADVANCING WARRIORS...

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DASHING PAST THE COMFORTABLY SHELTERED THIEVES...

JOHN CELARDO

TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE CONFUSION, HE HERDS THE GROUP BEHIND A HUT...

WHEN HE DOES SPEAK, IT IS IN THE TONGUE OF THE TRIBE...

YOU MUST LISTEN TO ME!

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THE THREE WHITE MEN IN YOUR VILLAGE HAVE STOLEN AND MURDERED WITH THEIR TERRIBLE WEAPONS!

IF THERE IS TO BE NO FURTHER BLOODSHED, DO AS I SAY!

WE DO NOT KNOW IF YOU ARE TRYING TO PROTECT! THEM!

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